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THIRTY-FIFTH YEAR

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

THE WELL KNOWN FAVORITE HOTEL,

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31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 JOHNSON STREET,

WILL open out on MONDAY, MAY 1ST, on an entirely new plan, and having secured the very best assistants in all departments, we feel confident of being able to please our patrons. THE BAR will be supplied with the very best and will be in charge of the most able dispensers. THE TABLE will be provided with everything the market affords and polite attention will be paid to guests.

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Sum plus Over Capital and all Liabilities, 1891.....	1,400,000

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TO FARMERS, GARDENERS AND THE PUBLIC.

The B.C. Enterprise Manuf'g Co'y

are prepared to fill orders in any quantity for PURE BONE FERTILIZER, either CRUSHED, COARSE GRUND, MEAL or FLOUR. Would also call your attention to the fact that they have prepared a special LAWN FERTILIZER. Ask your grocer for it. Sold in 2 1/2 and 10 lb. packages. For large quantities special prices.

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WANTED—A practical gas-fitter wishes situation or employment of any kind. Can furnish best of references. Address: Scotchman, COLONIST office.
my 23c

WANTED—About the end of May, three furnished rooms, bed sitting and dining rooms, with private board. Must be in a good locality. Address N.Y. 22, COLONIST office.
my 22c

WANTED—A situation as chambermaid or dining room girl. Apply W. J. COLONIST office.
my 24t

WANTED—A good row boat to hold about six persons; state cash price. Aquatic, COLONIST office.
my 22t

WANTED—A strong wagon complete, tires not less than 3 inches—also an iron smokestack about 20 feet long by 2 feet diameter. Apply 22 Governor street.
my 22c

WANTED—A young woman who can cook and do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Shotholt, 64 Johnson street.
my 23c

WANTED—Situation by young girl in general housework or care of children. B. COLONIST office.
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WANTED—A young girl to do the work of a small house. Must sleep at home. References required. 163 Montreal street, James Bay.
my 24t

WANTED—Everybody to try a lunch at the Colonial Metropole. You will not be disappointed.
my 24t

WANTED—You to remember the place for the unadulterated refreshments is the Colonial Metropole, Johnson street.
my 24t

FOR SALE—A splendid horse, suitable for anything, stands 17 hands high, formerly owned by McLean, contractor. Apply at stables, opposite Club stables, Yates street.
my 24t

THERE is talk of forcing gold to a premium. Cameron the cash officer still takes the silver dollar at par.
my 24t

LOST—On Saturday last in or around the Government buildings and towards Superior street, fifty dollars in notes. A reward of ten dollars will be given to the finder. Apply to A. COLONIST office.
my 24t

LOST—On the 21st of April, Gordon settler Litch, chain collar on and hair off her nose. Finder please inform this office.
my 24t

LOST—On Dallas road on the 30th, a green plaid shawl between Menzie street and park. Finder leave property at Flint & Williams' office, corner Broad and Fort streets.
my 24t

LOST—Between Menzie street and Post Office, a watch chain, a pearl handle knife with three blades. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the COLONIST office.
my 24t

NOTICE.

Estate Late Robert Hunt of Fort Rupert.

Notice is hereby given that all claims against the above estate must be sent in immediately, and all parties indebted to the estate are requested to settle the same forthwith.

ELI HUNT,
Sole Executor,
Fort Rupert, April 30, 1893.
my 24t-wkly-1m

ENTERTAINMENT

THURSDAY, MAY 4TH

Reformed Episcopal Sunday School

FAIRY REVELS, ETC.

Admission 50c; children 25c.
my 23t

DERBY SWEETSTAKE

to be drawn for the

AMERICAN HOTEL

On the 29th May, 1893.
Numbers to be published on the 30th.
Race takes place on 31st.

Tickets 50c. Each. Prizes for all Starters.

Tickets to be had at the bar at Carter's, St. George's Hotel, opposite Switch, Esquimalt Road.
Public invited to attend drawing at 8 p.m., 29th May.
my 24t

THE DOUGLAS HOUSE,

5 GORDON ST., VICTORIA.

This first-class Private Family Boarding House, under new management, is open for guests at moderate rates by the day, week or month. A few Table Boarders can be accommodated.
my 1-1m

THEOSOPHY.

Mrs. Col'n Beane, of San Francisco, will deliver a

LECTURE ON THEOSOPHY

In the F. William Wallace Hall, Broad street, at 2 p.m., Wednesday, May 3. Admission free.
my 24t

BR. SHIP 'KINKORA'

(CAPT. LAWTON)

LIVERPOOL TO VICTORIA.

The above vessel will commence discharging cargo at the wharf on

MONDAY, MAY 1.

Consignees are requested to present Bills of Lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and take delivery of goods.

All cargo remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of consignee thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

ROBERT WARD & CO., LIMITED, LIVERPOOL, AGENTS
my 1-1m

A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS

OF THE
ESTATE OF CARTER & TOLMIE

Will be held at my office, 32 Five Sisters' block on Thursday 4th instant, at 3 p.m.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Victoria, B. C., 1st May, 1893.
my 2

SCHOONER AMERICANA

From Liverpool,
NCT RESPONSIBLE.

Neither owner nor the undersigned consigned to the above vessel will be responsible for any debt contracted by any person on board without their written order.
TURNER BRETON CO.,
my 2 1wk

RAILWAY SAFE ROBBED.

Three Thousand Dollars in Gold
Taken From the Northern
Pacific.

Fifty Thousand Dollars will be Paid
to Find Out Who the
Thief Is.

TACOMA, May 1.—The N.P.R. detectives are at work searching for a package containing \$3,000 in gold, which was stolen from the company's safe last week. The money was from Ben. E. Snipes & Co.'s back at Roslyn, and was consigned to Dexter, Horton & Co., Seattle. It was missed on Friday last. Michael G. Sullivan was sent for and is now looking for the man or men who stole the money. Two or three other detectives are also engaged in the search. The money was shipped from Roslyn on Friday. Lee Hopkins, a son of John B. Hopkins, agent of the Express Company in this city, was messenger on the train. When the train arrived in this city E. G. Burkham, a friend of young Hopkins, boarded the train and rode with him in the car to Seattle. The iron box contained a large amount of money from Portland and the East. The safe was trucked to the Express Company's office in the depot building and dropped on the floor. Hopkins, C. H. Snipes, the night clerk there, and E. Williams were present in the room when the safe was opened. Hopkins took several packages of the money, put them away and turned back to the safe for the gold, when it was discovered to be missing. A search was instituted without success. Snipes refused to sign the way bill. To a reporter he said: "When I got into the depot the messenger, Hopkins, dropped the safe to the floor. When I opened the safe he reached over four or five feet and handed me the way bills in presence of a man named Burkham, from Tacoma. He opened the safe, took out an armful of money and carried it to a side room, where the night man gave checks for it. He then stopped back to the safe and discovered that a sack of gold amounting to \$3,000 was missing. Hall, who came here to investigate it, openly charged me with stealing the money, and would give me till to-morrow morning to own up. He said to me, 'You stole that money. I will brand you as a thief and send you to the penitentiary if you don't bring back the money before to-morrow morning.' Agent Hall says the company will spend \$50,000 to find the man who stole the money. The Seattle party will be paid the money as if nothing had happened."

CHICAGO NOTES.

President Cleveland After the Formal Opening of the Great Exposition.

Inauguration of the Womens' Building—Reception Given the Liberty Bell.

CHICAGO, May 1.—At the conclusion of the exercises to-day President Cleveland was escorted to the manufacturers building, and received the commission of foreign nations in the American section. He leaves for Washington to-night. The Duke of Veragua and party were escorted through several of the buildings in the afternoon.

To-night the display of fireworks was startlingly beautiful. The women's building was formally dedicated this afternoon, the programme comprising invocation and an anthem by a choir of women, and an address by Mrs. Potter-Palmer and pronouncing of benediction by Lady Somerset.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Potter Palmer, president of the board of lady managers, stepped out from among the throng of well-dressed women gathered in the assembly room of the women's building and drove the last nail into that historic structure, the first of the kind ever built in connection with any international exhibition. The exercises began with the presentation of the Florida flag, followed by presentations of the Connecticut room, and Kentucky, California, New York and Cincinnati rooms; then the presentation of the Knapp flag; then a gathering in the assembly room and the driving of the golden nail, which was presented by Montana.

The formal opening of the exercises in the Women's building will be held at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, and will include addresses by Mrs. Potter Palmer and distinguished representatives of foreign nations as follows: Spain, by the Duchess of Veragua; Italy, by the Countess of Brogna; England, by Mrs. Bedford Fenwick; Scotland and Ireland, by the Lady of Aberdeen; Germany, by Frau Professorin Lassowsky; Russia, by Princess Schahovskoy.

Pennsylvania's choicest treasure, her old Liberty bell, was on Saturday deposited within the walls of her state building at Jackson park. During its progress to the park it was the recipient of a continued ovation. It was escorted by the highest officials of Philadelphia and Chicago, surrounded by marching troops, regular and citizen soldiery, and escorted by the President of the nation whose birth it announced to the world. It was afternoon when the bell was removed from the car and deposited in a handsome float drawn by six horses, preceded by a platoon of police and followed by a military escort, amid the plaudits of the multitude, started on its journey to Jackson park.

FOR EIGHTEEN DAYS.

Results of Severe Cuts and Bruises from a Fall.

New York, May 1.—The case of Miss Mary McCann, in the Memorial hospital at Orange, N.J., is attracting widespread attention among medical men. The girl was on a South Orange car near the orphan asylum at Vailsburg, on April 13th, when she became frightened by the speed of the car and jumped off. She was severely cut and bruised by the fall, and was taken to the hospital unconscious and has remained in that condition ever since—eighteen days. She seems strong and takes nourishment naturally, but all attempts to restore her to consciousness have failed. Dr. Thomas Harvey thinks a blood vessel burst in her brain and a clot of blood formed. He thinks this will be gradually absorbed and that the girl will regain consciousness.

A Dull Trip.

First Pullman Porter—You look down in de mouf, Brudder Jones. What's de matter?

Second Pullman Porter—I has cause ter be, sah. My car on de las' trip contained no less dan t'ree millionaires.—Truth.

Let Off Easy.

"You have had many severe trials, I dare say," said the tender hearted housewife.

"Yes'm," answered Rusty Rufus, spearing another cold potato with his fork, "but on account of my youth I've ginerly got off purty light."—Chicago Tribune.

Horrible!

"Johnny, what yer cryin' about?"

"Mother's goin' to punish me."

"Likin'?"

"Naw, worse. She's g-goin' to cut my hair."—Washington Star.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Davies-McMillan Appeal Allowed
—Rev. Mr. Macleod's Expected Call.

Canada's Mammoth Cheese Has a Fall
—Ministerial Visit—The Russell House Sold.

(From our own Correspondent.)
OTTAWA, May 1.—The Supreme Court gave judgment this morning in the case of Davies vs. McMillan, being an appeal from the Supreme Court of British Columbia. The appeal was allowed with costs, Judge Tachereau dissenting.

Two hundred head of settlers' cattle are in the Gretna quarantine. Many immigrants are coming in from the Western states.

It is expected that Rev. P. McF. McLeod will have a call from Knox church, in this city.

Chief Engineer Coste has deferred his trip to British Columbia for a few days, in order that the Minister of Public Works may arrange to travel with him.

The Russell House property has been bought by a local syndicate; price, a quarter of a million dollars.

Canada's big cheese is carrying everything before it. At Chicago on Saturday it carried the floor of the dairy building where it is located down ten feet to terra firma. The floor was damaged, but the cheese was not injured. Special supports have been provided.

The Dominion rifle matches vary little from last year, except that the Snider aggregate and extra series have been abolished.

James Barry, chief clerk of the Customs Department died last night. He had been ailing for some months.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Election Expenses.

TORONTO, May 1.—The sworn return of expenses in the recent bye-election for Toronto have been forwarded to Mr. Ryan, returning officer. They are as follows: Ryerson, \$3,114; Ogden, \$343.

Fire in Quebec.

QUEBEC, May 1.—A fire in Hadlow's Cave, near the Chaudiere, on Saturday, destroyed the houses occupied by Napoleon Boucher, Counsellor Joseph Fortin, Henry Langlais, Messrs. Durault, Veauville, Giguere, Cameland and Pendergras; loss, \$25,000; partially covered by insurance.

Ice Jam in St. Lawrence.

QUEBEC, May 1.—The Cap Rouge ice bridge, which gave way on Saturday morning and started to float down stream, has moved up again with the rising tide, and made a bad jam. This jam is said to be grounded, and if so may last for many days to come, successfully blocking navigation between Montreal and Quebec.

Death of a Pioneer.

ST. THOMAS, May 1.—Captain John McBride, a pioneer of Western Ontario, died here yesterday aged sixty-nine.

Over Four Score Years.

HALIFAX, May 1.—G. A. V. Pan, a prominent citizen and member of the customs staff is dead, aged eighty-one.

GERMAN ARMY BILL.

Its Second Reading Postponed In the Absence of the Kaiser.

BERLIN, May 1.—When the report on the Army bill was presented to the Reichstag, a few days ago, Von Lovetov, the president, proposed that the debate open on Tuesday. The leaders of the different groups concurred that four days would suffice for discussion, so a week hence the fate of the bill will be settled. To-day Von Caprivi caused to be circulated into the lobbies information to the effect that the Government would cause a second reading of the bill to be postponed, presumably because the Emperor desires to be present in Berlin on the eve of the dissolution of the Reichstag. Even at the last hour Chancellor Von Caprivi has, with no apparent chance of success, made fresh overtures for the support of the Centrist leader, Count Von Bismarck, through Maj. Huene, another prominent member of that party. It is reported that the latter is reinforced by letters from Cardinal Ledowchowski, prefect of the propaganda, urging the centre party to try to come to terms with the Government on the bill. There is no doubt, however, that the Centrists are unflinching in their adherence to existing decisions. No occult pressure can overcome the fact weighing most with the Centrists that the repugnance of the Catholic electors is so strong against the bill that the members representing the party in the Reichstag will certainly be punished by their constituents if they fail to observe the pledges they made.

CABLE NEWS.

Australian Government Savings Bank.

MELBOURNE, April 30.—The government at Victoria has announced its decision to amalgamate all the savings banks now conducted independently of the government with the postal savings banks, the government of the colony to have full control and guarantee deposits.

Marshall Islands Missionaries.

BERLIN, April 30.—Mr. Phelps, the American Minister, reports that the German Foreign Office knows nothing about the expulsion of American missionaries from the Marshall Islands.

To Command the Canadian Forces.

LONDON, May 1.—John Alexander Montgomery-Moore has been gazetted as commander of the forces in Canada.

Home Rule Bill Postponed.

LONDON, May 1.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Gladstone announced that, on account of the pressure of other business, the meeting of the House as a

committee on the Irish Home Rule bill would be postponed until Monday. Sir Charles Dilke offered a motion to the effect that the time was opportune to cease military intervention in Egypt.

MONUMENT TO AUDUBON.

Unveiling a Magnificent Statue to the Great Naturalist.

New York, April 29.—For over thirty years the remains of John James Audubon, the ornithologist and naturalist, have rested in an obscure corner of Trinity cemetery at Amsterdam avenue and 155th street. To-day, in the presence of a large assembly, including many descendants of the Audubon family, a magnificent monument was unveiled to his memory in Trinity Cemetery. Among those present were many members of the New York Academy of Sciences, and other scientific organizations. The monument cost \$10,000, and is covered with carved figures of birds and animals. The principal address was delivered by Prof. Thomas Eggleston. To-night there will be a memorial meeting at the New York Academy of Sciences at the Museum of Natural History, at which an address on Audubon will be delivered by ex-President Prof. E. G. Elliott, of the American Ornithologists' Union.

FLOODS AT ST. LOUIS.

A Terrible Amount of Damage Done—Buildings Upset and Their Inhabitants Driven Out.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 1.—The river at six o'clock this evening showed a rise of over a foot since last night, and is still rising. Up to six o'clock last evening the water caused the abandonment of the greater portion of East Carondelet street. Many persons who have been living in the second story of their homes have been forced to move out altogether to-day, and several had narrow escapes, barely escaping before their residences collapsed or floated away. At Belleville several manufacturing establishments were forced to shut down, their boiler rooms being inundated. On this side the river, north of St. Louis is so far the worst sufferer. The district known as "Oklahoma" is now a vast lake, with here and there a hastily vacated shanty protruding a few feet above the water's surface. Trains from the East to-night say the water practically covers all Brooklyn, and a number of people are moving out of their houses. The East St. Louis dock warehouse gave way about noon, and fully one-fourth of the vast building, with its contents, fell in a heap, the roof sinking and settling upon the wreck. Thousands of flour sacks, grain and cases of canned goods, etc., were precipitated through the ground floor into the water. One colored laborer was crushed to death under the debris and two others were injured. The loss is heavy but it is impossible to ascertain the exact amount.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

Transportation Arrangements—Chinese Merchants Contributing—The Marines Cannot Parade.

The secretary of the Queen's Birthday celebration committee yesterday interviewed Passenger Agent Prior, of the E. & N. Railway, on the subject of transportation to the Gorge. Mr. Prior stated that they would be in a position to carry passengers to a point within half a mile of the Gorge, for a return fare of twenty-five cents. From the railway station the passengers will proceed along the Langford road, a shady thoroughfare not likely to be made dusty by the vehicular traffic.

A member of the finance committee did some canvassing in Chinatown yesterday, with very satisfactory results, the merchants there showing a general disposition to assist with subscriptions.

Capt. Hughes-Hallett has written, on behalf of the Navy, expressing their regret that they will be unable to participate in any military display in connection with the celebration. This will be a disappointment, as the Navy would have been a great attraction in any review.

The large posters announcing the celebration events will be out to-morrow or next day. Secretary Boggs was on the Mainland on Saturday, and while there made posting arrangements, the territory to be covered including points along the line of the C.P.R., the cities of Vancouver and Westminster and the Sound cities.

PRINCE BONAPARTE ENTERTAINED

A Pleasant Visit to Victoria—The Royal Guest a Noted Friend of Learning.

His Highness Prince Roland Bonaparte and Mons. de Pierrefeu of his suite, were entertained at dinner last evening by Lieut.-Col. E. G. Prior, M.P., and His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dawdney were among the party of ladies and gentlemen also present. The distinguished traveller had already exchanged visits with Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney. Since his arrival on Saturday evening he has had few spare moments, being fully occupied in seeing the points of interest and receiving the hospitality of the leading people.

Prince Bonaparte is a grandson of Lucien Bonaparte, brother of the famous Napoleon. Though a comparatively young man, being 38 years of age, he has made for himself an enviable name in the world of science and letters, being the author of many works largely based upon his travels. His own library consists of upwards of a hundred thousand volumes. His interest has been of practical benefit to science, an instance in point being the fact that he is now building an observatory at the summit of Mont Blanc, which will be the highest in Europe.

Opened To-day.

At the White House, capes and cape jackets, the latest to arrive and the latest style, in all shades and prices.

HENRY YOUNG & CO.

Hammocks in variety and new pattern awning stripes at Weller Bros.

Garden hose at McLennan & McPeck's.

BEST EVER MADE.

DEAR SIR:—I can highly recommend Haggard's Peppermint Cure as the best remedy yet made for coughs and colds. I am never without it in my house.

HENRY PALMER, Lorneville, Ont.

ALMOST A RECORD BREAKER

The Empress of China Makes a Very Fast Voyage From Yokohama to Victoria.

Heavy Passenger List and Large Number of Chinese—Some Distinguished Tourists.

Ten days, twenty-three hours from Yokohama to Victoria is not very bad time, even for one of the Empresses, but it is not as good by twelve to eighteen hours as Chief Engineer J. Fowler, R.N.R., of the Empress of China, intended it should be when he left Yokohama on April 21 and started across the Pacific to break the record.

The first three days out the weather was very heavy, constant head winds and a lumpy sea making it impossible to get up the speed to the desired point. From then until half way across both wind and sea gradually eased down, and from "108" to "110" the weather was charming, allowing the passengers to get out on the deck and enjoy the fresh air while the Empress bowed along at from 375 to 400 miles a day. She arrived here last evening about 5 o'clock, "all well on board," and passed quarantine without delay.

The first saloon passenger list is a long one, there being 112 on board, as follows: Miss Adams, Mr. Asser, Miss Asser, Mr. S. Akasawa, Mr. J. W. Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr. Bushman, Mr. Black, Mr. H. Brookbank, Mr. J. G. Barrett, Major Barrett, Mr. Bonar, Mr. G. W. Barston, Capt. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mr. F. Astley Cooper, Mr. A. Astley Cooper, Mr. P. Chase, Mr. P. Caroe, Mr. A. H. P. Clarke, Mr. P. Chirside, Mr. P. Chirside, Mrs. Clark, Mr. P. Chirside, Mr. Denholm, Miss Dudley, Mr. Daly, Mr. D. Dick, Mrs. Chew, Mrs. Lee, Miss Drew, the Earl of Dysart, Major Farmer, Mr. Farwell, Mr. Griffin, Miss Garvin, Capt. Gratton, Mr. W. A. Hedderwick, Major and Mrs. Hawkes, Mr. J. N. Jordan, Col. and Mrs. Kilbreth, Miss Kilbreth, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Klein, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Kingman, Mr. H. C. Lewis, Miss A. Lewis, Miss Lewis, Mr. D. Fleming, Col. C. Larking, Rev. A. Lamont, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Lees, Mr. E. Logan, Mrs. and Mrs. Makant, Major-General, and Mrs. Molyneux, Miss Molyneux, Mrs. E. S. Morgan, Mr. George A. Morrill, Mr. Masujima, Mr. Matsukata, Mr. J. Mackenzie, Dr. and Mrs. Merrett and family, Miss Newcombe, Miss J. Newcombe, Mr. Orman, Dr. and Mrs. Pilkington, Miss Padgett, Mr. H. W. Robert, Mr. A. W. Robert, Mr. Robison, Mr. H. Runge, Mr. and Mrs. Freer, Mr. E. Smedley, Mr. J. Smedley, Mrs. Sutherland and two children, Prof. B. Spencer, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Stallard, Mr. Staniford, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker and child, Miss Smith, Mr. E. Schmidt, Dr. and Mrs. Thompson, Miss Virtue, Mr. C. P. Wilson, Mrs. C. Willis, Miss Whetstone.

Besides the first saloon passengers, there were a great many steerage passengers, divided as follows: For Victoria, four Japs and 82 Chinese; for Vancouver, 207 Japs and 84 Chinese. The cargo consisted of 2,800 tons, principally tea and silk. The most distinguished of the passengers is the Earl of Dysart, a Scottish nobleman who is making a tour of the world, and will take in the sights at the World's Fair next. He is accompanied by two young relatives, Messrs. A. Astley Cooper and F. Astley Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Chirside are from Australia. They were married just before leaving the land of the Southern Cross and are now on their bridal tour. Like a number of the other passengers they are destined for the old country, but have determined to visit Chicago while in America. Mr. J. W. Boyd who, with Mrs. Boyd, helped to swell the list, is a Scotchman who has been in the East for eight and a half years. He has been with the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company at Hongkong, an immense concern, owning six dry docks and two patent slips and employing some 2,500 men. Mr. Boyd is leaving Hongkong for good. He will go to Glasgow and engage in business on his own account. Speaking of business prospects in the East, he says:

"We have all suffered out there very much on account of the depreciation in the value of silver, and should the United States Government decide to release the immense store it has, the inevitable result would be to ruin many men as well in China as in Hongkong and India. The silver question is the one that is agitating people out there now."

Mr. John Clark and Mrs. Clark are among the passengers. The former is one of the partners in the great cotton thread works known all over the world. He has been travelling for pleasure and before returning to London, goes to Chicago for a month or two.

Mr. J. Frear is a theatrical man, who provides a whole entertainment himself, and will occupy the Vancouver and Victoria playhouses before going East. His trip in China and Japan has been eminently successful.

Another small party of Australians, en route to Chicago, consists of Mr. H. C. Lewis, Mrs. A. Lewis and Miss Lewis. They came up to Hongkong and Yokohama and will have an easy trip around the world, possibly returning this way.

There are any number of missionaries on board, including Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Klein, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Kingman, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Rev. Dr. Merrett and family, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Pilkington, and Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker. Rev. A. Lamont, another returning clergyman, has been laboring in the South Sea Islands.

The Empress left at 9 o'clock last evening for Vancouver. The usual thing is for the Canadian Pacific Company's officials at Vancouver to meet their ships here, but this once they failed to connect. They started all right, but the quick passage of the China was too "fast" for them, and the result is they did not get here. Next time they will come down on Sunday.

REVOLUTION IN CUBA.

A General Uprising Has Taken Place—A State of Siege Declared by the Captain-General.

HAVANA, May 1.—Cuba is again in the throes of revolution. A general uprising has taken place throughout the eastern part of the island. The movement, which has been kept from the public by the authorities, was started near Holguin on April 26, when two brothers named Sartorius started the war, and with twenty followers marched out of the little town of Purnio. They were reinforced the following day, by eighty men from the town of Volasco. They continued in the direction of Milas, near the north coast, where they expected to receive reinforcements, and where they expected to receive help from the United States. The Sartorius brothers are young men of good families and

were born in Gibara. Their father is a retired captain in the Spanish army, a man of wealth and highly respected. The two boys, however, have been prominently identified with the revolutionary movement and have been under Spanish surveillance for several months. Reports of uprisings throughout the districts of Manzanillo, Holguin, Guannano and Las Tunas are being received.

A council of war was called by the Captain-General on the night of April 27th, and yesterday he issued an order declaring the Province of Santiago de Cuba in a state of siege. Orders have been issued to troops from every point. They are being sent eastward to check the uprising, which is now becoming general, apparently in keeping with the previous arrangement of the leaders. Throughout Havana, Mantanzas and neighboring cities regular troops are marching in the streets drilling constantly. The militia have been pressed into service and extra guards placed around all public buildings. The steamer Villa Verde, which was not to have sailed for several days, was dispatched yesterday with a battalion for Nuovilas. The troops who have been following bandits in this vicinity have been ordered to Manzanillo. The cutter Magallanes will sail from Santiago for Gibara, on the north coast, where she will remain to intercept the landing of any filibustering expeditions. The situation is considered by the authorities and the public press as serious, and all available government forces are being centred in the Vuelta-arriba.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Royal City Lumber Industry Picking Up Fast—Spring Freshet Beginning

Nanaimo Coal Shipments for April—Miners Hold Enjoyable May Day Celebration.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 1.—The famous vote petition to the Governor-General has over 1,000 signatures. Rev. Mr. Chestnutt, of St. Catharines, comes to do missionary work in the Westminster district. The C. P. R. are lowering their grade at Barnet.

Julius Hengleman cut off part of his right hand with a circular saw at Buse's mill this morning. The short tram line to Westminster will be open on the 9th inst. E. E. Sheppard, proprietor of Toronto Saturday Night, is in the city.

The separation meeting at Surrey was very poorly attended. Major-General Twigg, J. M. Duval, Rev. Mr. Sell, Messrs. Armstrong, Johnson, Wiltshire, Boothroyd, Smith and G. W. Kennedy were the speakers.

The Criminal assizes opened to-day before Mr. Justice Drake, the Attorney-General appearing for the Crown. In their presentation, the grand jury urged the necessity of three Supreme court judges for the Mainland, one resident in Vancouver, the want of a jail here, and an increase of the grand jury list.

Carl Levi, the deliverer of stolen goods, was sentenced to nine months at hard labor. Campbell, on a charge of receiving stolen goods, was acquitted.

Ald. R. A. Anderson and W. H. Goodwin have formed a partnership in the real estate and insurance business.

Fred. Poore, an intelligent and very popular youth, who carried the COLONIST on the Whatcom train for twelve months, and afterwards was promoted to be brakeman, had his hand badly smashed while coupling passenger cars on the C.P.R.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 1.—Hon. Justice McCreight has returned after a holiday of four months. He says the Ottawa papers misrepresented him in many ways. Regarding the present political situation he said nothing.

The rainfall in this vicinity during the month of April was remarkably heavy. According to the figures furnished by Captain Peavey fell on 24 days of the month, the heaviest fall during 24 hours being 2.10 inches, with a total precipitation of 7.5 inches for April. This was the heaviest record for April in 21 years.

The spring freshet is commencing and the river is rising slowly. The rise at Chilliwack since Tuesday last has been two feet. Old timers still hold to the opinion that the water will be higher this year than since 1882.

The Royal City mills are shipping six car-loads of beautiful spruce timber to St. John, N.B. Each stick is 22 by 24 inches and 70 feet long. The lumber trade is picking up fast.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, May 1.—The second anniversary of St. Alban's church will be commemorated on Wednesday evening by a social reunion, at which a musical programme and refreshments will be provided. There was a large attendance of Old Fellows at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church yesterday morning. Rev. D. H. McRae preached an eloquent sermon dealing with the objects of the Order.

To-morrow District Registrar M. Bray will receive the nominations of candidates for election as representative of the Vancouver Island District in the Dominion Parliament. So far as is known at present, Mayor Haslam will be the only one nominated, and will therefore be elected by acclamation.

The Quadra sailed this afternoon for the North. She took on board a quantity of rock from the Newcastle Island quarry, to be used for mooring buoys.

Richard Hilbert, of the Lion boat store, assigned to-day to P. J. Martin, of Montreal, and J. Ganner, of this city. The amount of his liabilities is not yet known, but there are sufficient assets to pay a hundred cents on the dollar.

Three white men paid \$165 into the Police court, this morning, for supplying liquor to Indian women.

The foreign coal shipments for April amount to 57,400 tons. David Richards, a miner, was severely hurt this afternoon, in No. 3 shaft, by a fall of coal.

The May Day concert and ball in the Opera House to-night, under the auspices of the Miners' and Mine Laborers' Protective association, was a great success. The house was packed, and the dance was a very enjoyable affair. The floor was crowded all night.

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A situation as porter or messenger, gardener or any light work in store, willing to make myself useful as a carpenter in church or sabbath school. James Penn, 339 Michigan street. ap29-1w

WANTED—A female servant, must be a good cook. Wages \$30 a month. Apply 93 Quebec street, James Bial. ap30-1w

WANTED—To purchase a good milch cow. State price. D. P. COLONIST, ap29-1w

WANTED—A nurse girl. Mrs. Sparrow, 17 Rae street. ap29-1w

WANTED—Situation by a Japanese, for cook in a small family or general housework. Apply Japanese store, 150 Government street. ap29-1w

WANTED—First class dressmakers at the White House. None but first class need apply. Henry Young & Co. ap29-1w

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TO LET—Two or three furnished rooms. Apply 29 Princess avenue, near Douglass street. ap29-1w

TWO rooms un-furnished, suitable for storage or house-keeping central. Five dollars per month. Also furnished rooms. 79 Fort St. ap16-1m

TO LET—New cottages, 1 room, water included, \$7; one larger, with bath, \$12. Apply Mrs. P. Wilson, 185 Douglas street, or Clarke street, Sprink Ridge. ap14-1m

TO LET—Comfortably furnished room, with use of kitchen if desired; at 139 Michigan street. ap16-1m

TO LET—Furnished new eight roomed house on Battery street, near P.H. over-looking sea, either for nine or twelve months. Apply Ward, COLONIST office. ap5-1mo

TO LET—A few boarders can be accommodated in a refined home. Pleasant situation. 127 Monzie's street. me30-1mo

TO LET—House on Rupert street, five minutes walk from post office. Apply W. J. Quinlan, Five Sisters block, city. me30-1w

TO LET—Neat, clean, furnished rooms, well lighted. By day, week or month. Call and see them. Mrs. Dow, Cromwell House, 1033 Government street. me22-1mo

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A gentle cow newly calved, gives fifteen quarts of milk a day. Inquire at No. 4 Quebec street, James Bay. ap30-1w

GRNTLE cow newly calved for sale cheap. H. Monday, 8 Charles street, Ross Bay. ap29-1w

FOR SALE—Limited amount of fully paid up stock in the North Thompson Coal Co. "G," this office. ap25-1w

FOR SALE—Psycho bicycle, suitable for either lady or gentleman. Good condition. A bargain. "Q," COLONIST office. ap25-1w

FOR SALE—Royal Saloon, corner Fort and Douglas. For particulars, S. Whitley, 40 Quadra. ap29-1w

FOR SALE—First and second class silk gowns, \$9 and \$7 per piece of from 18 to 20 yards; cheap towels for cash, 18 to 21 cents per lb. Apply C. F. Moore No. 22 Board of Trade building, first floor, near elevator. ap19-1mo

FOR SALE—300 acres of land situated about ten miles from Victoria in Metcheson District, between Huxley Valley and Sooke Roads; a stream of water runs through the property. Also 200 acres in Township 91, Nicola Valley; the Nicola river passes through a portion of it; a crown grant title in each case. For further particulars apply to L.J.C. Box 65, Victoria. no19-1w

FOR SALE—160 acres of first class land, one-half mile from McPherson's Station; between fifty-five and sixty acres cleared and seeded down in timothy. Good creek, houses and plenty of fruit. About fifteen acres more very easily cleared. Apply to PETER HENNESSEY. ap17-1w

FOR RENT—Ro K Bay Hotel. Fifty rooms. Apply to A. Cameron, Rock Bay Hotel, or to 26 aches street. me30-1mo

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FOR SALE—Fine farm in Westman Island, British Columbia, 119 acres; over 50 acres under cultivation. Fine soil, good natural drainage. House barn and stable; orchard; sixteen miles from New Westminster. For further particulars apply to D. Robertson, Westman Island P. O., or to Chisholm & Logie, Barristers, Hamilton, Ontario. me19-1w

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NOTICES.

CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tender for Debentures.

Sealed Tenders endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 1893, for the purchase of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., amounting to \$125,000, in sums of \$1,000 each, payable in 10 years from 1st of May, 1893, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, with principal and interest payable in currency at Victoria.

The tenderor must state the price not at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4 1/2 per cent. from 1st May, 1893, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures

KASLO-SLOGAN.

A Big Deal Likely to be Productive of Most Important Results.

Interesting News as to What Is Being Done in the District.

KASLO, April 27.—A mining deal, vast in extent and highly important in its probable results, is reported on good authority to have taken place in the Slocan district during the past week. The deal—or, to speak more correctly, series of deals—was not concluded without the expenditure of something like \$270,000, the major part of which, I was credibly informed, was paid over at the bank of British Columbia at Nelson. The parties interested are a company of Duluth, Minneapolis and St. Paul capitalists, whose combined wealth aggregate a sum reaching far into the millions. A representative of this company, which, by the way, owns extensive mining properties on Lake Superior as well as other districts, visited the Slocan district recently and inspected several claims and partially-developed properties, and upon his report to his conferees proving satisfactory, instructions were given him to go ahead and purchase. This Mr. Middough, the agent did, buying several groups of mines, as well as about twenty individual claims, paying therefor sums ranging from \$2,000 up to \$30,000. Besides this there was purchased the town-site of Four Mile City and an addition to New Denver, both on Slocan lake, the purchase prices being in the neighborhood of \$30,000 and \$18,000 respectively. The purchase of these properties, one would naturally infer, must involve some other big proposition, and so it does. In a word, it means, according to my informant whose veracity is unimpeachable, the establishment of extensive smelting works at both of the points named. The reason for this is that a heavy range of mountains separates the two sites, though only four miles apart, and tributary to each are several of the properties purchased. To convey the ores from, and supplies to, it is proposed by the company to build independent train lines, each having separate motive powers and equipment. Furthermore, the programme, which might be considered lacking without this, entails the building of a road by the C.P.R. from Revelstoke to New Denver by way of Nakusp, and another road to the south by the capitalists, to connect with the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway at Nelson. With these two outlets the company's interests would be amply protected, and, at the same time, placed within easy touch of the great markets of the world. It is not to be imagined, either, that the company will rest contented with the purchases so far made, for it is given out that many thousands of dollars are but awaiting the uncovering of paying leads of the precious ore, and happy will be the man who is so fortunate, for he will have no difficulty in disposing of his claim. As might be supposed, Kasloians, as a rule, receive the news of the mining deal with emphatic remarks of ridicule and denial, but there are many mining men who place unbounded faith in the information, albeit the purchases have been made in a quiet and unostentatious manner. What effect this sale will have on the outside world it is impossible to foreshadow, but certain it is that whatever the favorable impressions may be as a result, these impressions will be still further enhanced and improved when the eyes of capitalists feast upon the magnificent exhibit of galena, in one immense nugget, now reported to be preparing in the mountain fastnesses. This exhibit it is proposed to show to the world on a specially constructed car. The example thus set by this powerful company will not be lacking for imitators, and it speaks volumes for the richness of this mighty and extensive mining field. To American enterprise and capital must be attributed the credit of bringing the Slocan district to the present and prominent place that it occupies in the ranks of the wealth-producing regions of the world.

The Revelstoke route opened last week, a party of ten miners being the first to come through. Large quantities of freight are coming in by that route, and the prices for commodities in general are cheapening. A new power press and a further supply of body and display type is being put in by the Examiner.

Dawson, on Healy creek, in the Lardo district, is the latest townsite on the real estate market. Its projectors advocate the usual stereotyped advantages.

Tug Kaslo came off the ways a few days ago, having had her propeller repaired. The fleet of boats calling here from day to day will shortly be augmented by the Steamer "Ladino," now lying up at Bonanza's Ferry. She is a powerful vessel, to be used in the passenger and freight business, and will prove a valuable acquisition to the flotilla at present on Kootenay lake.

Hotel Slocan, Kaslo's leading house, is receiving a coat of light-colored paint, adding much to its beauty. The house enjoys an ever-increasing share of public patronage.

E. H. Edwards, of Edwards Bros., photographers, Vancouver, is the latest addition to the ranks of Kaslo business men.

A quarry of what would undoubtedly prove excellent building stone is located near Buchanan's mill, on what is known as the smelter reserve. It is of granitic formation, and in some places resembling red granite, and is of a high polish and is easily quarried, being removable in layers.

When Kaslo becomes a city of many thousands, as its hosts of enthusiasts predict, this will prove a valuable property.

The large three-story sash and door factory at the head of the bay is rapidly nearing completion. Steam has been gotten up two or three times and everything was found to work smoothly. A further extension is being added to the north end.

Buchanan's mill is now running on night shifts, so great is the pressure of work. Further additions to the mill are under way, enlarging its capabilities and enhancing its value.

The Kootenay Powder Co., with capacity of \$100,000, is expected to erect large works here.

Reduction works, employing a considerable force of men, will be erected here shortly by the Boston & Montana Mining Co., whose agent was here recently looking over the location and the prospects of the district. This is another testimonial of faith in the future of Kaslo and the Slocan district.

At the present time there are located at the Hotel Slocan Messrs. Munn, Ewan and Hendry, all prominently identified with Kaslo-Kootenay Land Co., but what is of more importance, the Kaslo-Slocan railway scheme. A conference of these gentlemen, together with G. O. Buchanan and one or two other local celebrities, was held yesterday, but with what result is not known. However, their gathering here is taken for an indication of an early start being made

with this, the undeniable main feeder to the great Slocan mineral belt. Beyond the cutting of a few ties and a partial survey of the proposed line, nothing has of late been done towards this work. It is too early as yet to commence active operations, but a much stronger feeling of confidence would be engendered were some of the material stored here. Upon the strength of the railway much property has been sold, and if construction be delayed not only will Kaslo suffer, but the district will be "tapped" from the other side of the divide by the C.P.R., which will undoubtedly build in this summer by way of Nakusp.

The weather during the past few days has been much milder, the days being bright and sunshiny and the evenings wet. This is having the desired effect upon the snow, and prospectors are wearing brighter faces.

Freighter Hughes continues to bring in considerable ore, notwithstanding the bad roads. Unless heavy shipments are made soon the freight shed and wharf will be overcrowded. The ore continues to be of its excellent grade.

Real estate dealers report the market flat. A few good sales are reported, the figures being steep. A preference is now being shown for outside acreage, principally to the west. The dullness of the market is attributable to a large extent to "second payment" property being thrown on for sale. Brighter days are looked for.

Robins, bees and butterflies, the harbingers of summer, have made their appearance. Some half a dozen new buildings have been started since last week, chiefly on Fourth street. The chief building is a two-story building, opposite the Hotel Slocan, which will be occupied by a New Westminster grocer.

A meeting of the Kaslo fire brigade was held in Fletcher's hotel on Monday night. Among the many matters brought up for discussion was the proposed celebration of the 24th of May. An energetic committee was appointed to superintend matters and a big time is expected. The programme will consist of the usual athletic sports and a regatta. Further particulars later on.

The fire commissioners are exerting extreme vigilance to avert a disastrous conflagration. An order has been issued to strike all tents in the town proper while all underbrush and trees are being cleared off. This is but right, as the lesson of last year serves to show.

Among the institutions talked of for here are a brass band and lodges of the C.O.F., K. of P. and I.O.O.F.

Rev. J. Martin, Presbyterian divine, is expected back from Manitoba with his young bride in time for next Sunday's service. A hearty welcome awaits the couple.

It is expected that both the Presbyterian and Roman Catholic bodies will erect places of worship here ere long, each to cost in the neighborhood of \$2,000.

An energetic prospector has staked out a claim of what he asserts to be rich gold-bearing quartz at a point on the lake shore, two miles north of here, and has a sample displayed in a down-town office. Experienced miners make light of it, stating that it is nothing more than rock containing water crystals, with here and there a copper or iron stain.

On the mountain just northwest of the city are located two galena claims, but the ore is not as yet showing sufficiently to repay developing. Across from Kaslo galena tracings have also been located, with here and there a deposit of nickel which averages much higher percentage than the famous Sudbury article. Whether these resources will be pushed remains to be seen.—Com.

A GREAT GOLD COUNTRY.

(Spokane Review, April 27.)

KASLO, April 24.—Tom Beck came down from the Duncan the other day, bringing with him some fine samples of gold-bearing rock. Mr. Beck was interviewed by a Review reporter and stated that the Duncan country would be the scene of great mining activity during the coming season. The ledges are large, the yellow metal well dispersed through the gangue and the assays from the free milling ore run very high.

"In my opinion," said Mr. Beck, "the Duncan river country will be the greatest gold belt ever opened. A truthful report regarding the wealth of that almost unexplored country would read more like fiction than fact. Indications favor the theory that the same gold belt that is a feature of the Duncan river country crosses the headwaters of the Fraser river, and by decomposition feeds the great placers of that stream."

Doek Hackleman, who has just returned from the Duncan river country, says that the mining outlook was never surpassed. The ledges are large, well defined, and the topography of the country such that desirable and very deep openings can be made through the medium of drifts run on the veins. The river is very treacherous and extremely difficult to navigate, and those who contemplate prospecting in that country must transport their supplies before high water precludes the possibility of so doing, as it is a very dangerous stream to navigate when the water is high. "I believe," said Mr. Hackleman, "that it is the coming country so far as gold possibilities are concerned, and that it will become the Mecca for mining men and prospectors during this coming summer."

J. W. McCann, an old prospector and miner, says the Duncan is practically an unexplored field, with possibilities of the most flattering description. "I have never prospected much within the confines of the great mineral belt," said he, "but from what I saw I am satisfied that it will become one of the greatest gold mining districts of the west. There are also galena gold-bearing ledges in that district that will play a very important part in the future history of the camp."

G. E. Hays has just returned from the Duncan river country, having gone to that locality to prospect for placers. Mr. Hays says that the prospects he obtained from panning were excellent, and his theory is that it's quartz gold. The ledges in that country, he says, are very large.

C. A. Baldwin, interested with the Uley & Davis expedition, now operating in the Duncan country, received a letter from the party yesterday. They say the formation is excellent. It is their intention to commence prospecting immediately. Baldwin will leave for the field just as soon as a permanent camp is established.

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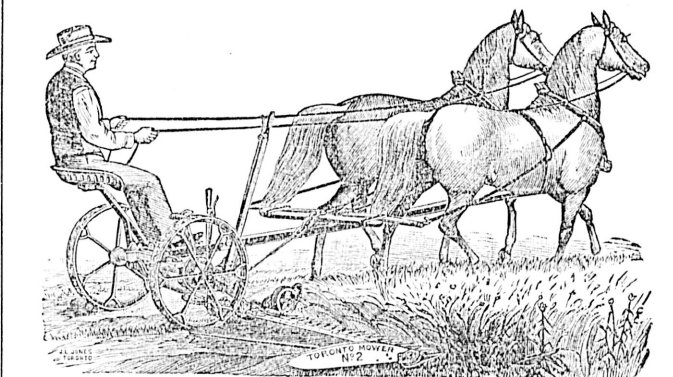
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H. A. YATES,

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NOTICES.

A BY-LAW

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise a sum of money, to provide for the construction of certain main surface drains in the city of Victoria as follows:

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View street and branches,
Spring Ridge and Fernwood road,
Cook street and branches,
Michigan and Superior streets,
Oswego street,
Menzies street,
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Victoria West,
And other necessary drains not specified.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of such works is \$125,000,

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of \$125,000,

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of \$8,125 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest hereinafter mentioned,

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the corporation of the city of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1892, was \$18,749,125,

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1 It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$125,000 in currency, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinafter recited.

Sec. 2 It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$125,000 in currency, each of the said debentures being of the amount of \$1,000, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3 The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the treasurer of the said corporation, in the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor and of the Clerk of the Corporation respectively to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

Sec. 4 The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 1-1/2 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said treasurer.

Sec. 5 For the purpose of raising a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the city of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6 In case of any conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy between the provisions of this by-law and any of the provisions of the Local Improvement By-law, 1892, as amended by By-law No. 178, entitled, "A By-law to amend the Local Improvement By-law, 1892," the provisions of this by-law shall prevail and override any of the provisions of such Local Improvement By-law to the extent of any such conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy, but this by-law shall not be deemed to in any wise repeal, alter or amend such Local Improvement By-law and amendment, except in so far as this

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TARIFF CHANGES.

It is generally expected that the Government will, before the next session of Parliament, make all necessary inquiries into the working of the tariff. There are many who believe that material modifications are required. The Committee appointed by the Government has, therefore, an important duty to perform. Its members seem to be fully aware of its importance. They have commenced the work of investigation. We see that complaints are already made that the interviews with the representatives of the different industries and interests are private. It is difficult to see how the communications could be otherwise than private. What the Government want is full information. Those who receive it should be in a position to get as nearly as possible the truth as to the position of the different industries and how they are affected by the tariff. This, we think, can best be obtained by confidential communication with the investigating committee. The men who come before the committee should be under no restraints, and should know that what they said should be regarded as confidential. They should be under no temptation to exaggerate or make matters appear in any way different from what they really are. Such a committee, being in communication with the representatives of all industries and all classes, will, before they are through with their work, be in possession of knowledge which will enable them effectually to check any misrepresentation or deception which may be attempted.

A great deal, of course, will depend upon the spirit in which the enquirers enter upon the investigation. If it is their object to confirm themselves in their prepossessions and to give weight to that testimony only which favors their preconceived opinions, the inquiry will be little more than a mere form. But if they really want to get a knowledge of what have been the effects of the National Policy tariff and to be in a position to be able to forecast with tolerable certainty what its effects will be if it is continued unchanged or slightly changed, if they are ready to accept all evidence, whether it favors their cherished theories or shows them to be erroneous, the inquiry will do much good and will clear the way for such improvements as are required.

It is most unfair and is not in the public interest to prejudice and to misjudge the tariff revision committee almost before they have commenced their work. It is, we see, said that the Government have placed themselves in the hands of the manufacturers, and that it is their interests which will be considered in any changes that may be recommended. No one can tell what the Government's intentions are, and it is no proof of either shrewdness or public spirit to take it for granted that they will enter upon the inquiry determined to favor one class at the expense of all the others. It is far better to assume that the Government wish to do justice to all industries, and that they have gone into the investigation in order to be in a position to do this thoroughly and intelligently. It will be time enough to condemn the Government when it is seen that their manner of treating the different industries is worthy of condemnation.

Instead of prematurely criticising the Government, those who take an interest in the revision of the tariff, whether supporters or opponents of the Government, should do all in their power to give the members of the committee the information they need. They can, by personal interviews and by written representations, do all that they can to place matters relating to the tariff

and the incidence of taxation in what they regard as the true light. They should be determined that if the Government come to wrong conclusions on these subjects it will not be their fault. By appointing a Committee of Enquiry the Government have shown that they desire the co-operation of all those who understand the subject or any particular branch of it, and they should be taken at their word. Snarling at the Government and prophesying evil regarding the inquiry is not the way to help them to do right and to promote the general welfare.

We know that there are still persons in the country who are so narrow-minded and so factious that they do not want the Government to do right. Persons who would much rather see them taking the wrong road than the right one, and who would not intentionally do anything or say anything that would help them to improve their policy. We think we see indications that this class of wrong-headed, unpatriotic factionists are diminishing in Canada, and we are glad of it. The people generally are becoming fairer and more liberal minded in their consideration of political men and political matters. It is to such persons that the country must look for information with regard to the trade policy of the Government as well as other subjects, and it is these persons who will, in good faith, aid the Government in its inquiries relative to the tariff and reserve their judgment until they see what are the results of those inquiries.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Yesterday the World's Exhibition was opened at Chicago. The holding of an exposition of the world's industry in a city which came into existence only in the last half of the present century must, to people accustomed to the slow growth and gradual development of the Old World, of itself be a marvel. To them the most wonderful part of the Chicago Exhibition must be Chicago. It will be hard for them to believe that there are men now living who know what is now the great city of Chicago as an insignificant country village.

Those who see the magnificent buildings of the exhibition and the immense show of the works of industry and art that has been collected there cannot but admire the courage and the enterprise of the men who, in so new a place and so young a community, engaged in so vast an undertaking.

There are some who fear that the Chicago Exhibition will not be a success. They believe that the time is not favorable and that circumstances are such as will prevent as large a number of visitors from Europe as was expected crossing the Atlantic. These fears and forebodings are, we believe, groundless. As many visitors will come from Europe as the steamship lines can carry, and a large proportion of the seventy millions or so whose home is in the United States and Canada will, within the next few months, find their way to Chicago. These of themselves will be sufficient to assure the success of the Exhibition. It is predicted that the number who will visit the Chicago Exhibition during the next few months will be greater than that which went to see the great Paris Exposition, and there is every reason to believe that the prediction will be realized. It is said, too, that the greed of the railway companies will prevent thousands from visiting the exhibition. But there is little fear that the railway men of this continent will be blind to their own interests in this matter. They will soon find out whether they can fill their carriages at the present rates, and if they cannot they will be certain to lower them to a figure which will give their lines all the work they can possibly do.

It is greatly to be hoped that the Chicago Exhibition will be as successful as the most ardent of its promoters hope and expect, and that 1893, the Exhibition year, will be looked upon as a fortunate epoch in the history not only of Chicago but of the whole American continent.

PROMPT ACTION.

We are glad to see that the crisis with regard to specie payments, or rather gold payments, in the United States is well over. If the American public had thoroughly understood the financial position of their country and had formed anything like a true estimate of the man who is at the head of its affairs, there would never have been a crisis at all. They would have seen that the United States is rich enough to meet all its demands, and that President Cleveland is not the man to give his sanction to a measure which will operate in such a way as to do serious injustice to persons who had relied implicitly on the good faith of the Government, or which would throw the business of the country into confusion. The President is an honest man through and through, and he is besides a man endowed with strong common sense. He might have been depended upon to do what was just to the people and to take the shortest and the most direct way to avoid the difficulty towards which many believed the United States were drifting. This he did. When the excitement was at its height and when it was currently reported that the Government proposed to redeem Treasury notes with silver, he caused the following paragraph to be published in the newspapers:

The inclination on the part of the public to accept newspaper reports concerning the intentions of those charged with the management of our national finances seems to justify my emphatic contradiction of the statement that the redemption of any kind of Treasury notes, except in gold, has at any time been determined upon or contemplated by the Secretary of the Treasury or any other member of the present Administration. The President and his Cabinet are absolutely harmonious in the determination to exercise every power conferred upon them to maintain the public credit, to keep the public faith, and to

preserve the parity between gold and silver, and between all financial obligations of the Government.

While the law of 1890, forcing the purchase of a fixed amount of silver every month, provides that the Secretary of the Treasury in his discretion may redeem in either gold or silver the Treasury notes given in payment of silver purchases, yet the declaration of the policy of the Government to maintain the parity between the two metals seems so clearly to regulate this discretion as to dictate their redemption in gold.

Of course perplexities and difficulties have grown out of an unfortunate financial policy which we find in vogue, and embarrassments have arisen from ill-advised financial legislation confronting us at every turn; but with cheerful confidence among the people and a patriotic disposition to co-operate, threatened dangers will be averted pending a legislative return to a better and sounder financial plan. The strong credit of the country still unimpaired and the good sense of our people, which has never failed in time of need, are at hand to save us from disaster.

These statements had the effect they were intended to produce. People in all parts of the United States were reassured. They knew that the President meant what he said, and that the credit of the country would be maintained at all risks. They ceased to be nervous about the \$100,000,000 gold reserve. They then knew that this was only the change in Uncle Sam's pocket, and that, even if he was required to spend it all, he has wealth enough and credit enough to enable him to meet all his obligations to the last cent. The prompt and manly way in which he quieted the public mind and averted the catastrophe which many believed to be impending must have strengthened the confidence of the American people in President Cleveland and increased their admiration for him as a practical statesman.

THE GERMAN SITUATION.

The Government of Germany is finding that the representatives of the people are not nearly so ready to register its decrees as they were in the time of Bismarck. The military system of the Empire has sorely tried the people's patience. They have found it a heavy burden grievous to be borne in many ways, and they steadily refuse to allow it to be increased. The majority of the Reichstag refuse to accept the Government's Army Bill. It has been before it for a long time, and although the Government has done its best to propitiate the different parties into which that body is divided, and although Chancellor Caprivi has consented to many amendments and modifications, he has, so far, failed to gain for it a majority of votes. It seems now certain that it will be rejected, and that the Reichstag will be dissolved.

It is not likely that the new House will be more favorable to the Emperor's scheme of army reform than is the one now existing. Democratic principles are making great headway in Germany. The Socialists are increasing rapidly and they now form a party in the Reichstag that must be reckoned with. The Socialists and the party that is nearest to them in principle are not in favor of militarism. They would rather decrease the military establishment of the empire than increase it. They have been so often led to believe that a war threatening the very existence of the empire was impending that they now hear the predictions of the alarmists with indifference.

The demagogue is beginning to have power in Germany. One of them, who appears to be distinguished for nothing but a hatred of the Jews which appears to amount to insanity, has been elected to the Reichstag. Although he is the reverse of popular with its members, his influence in the country is great. He is hated and scorned by the members of that body, yet the common people hear him gladly and will, no doubt, re-elect him and more of his sort when the appeal is again made to the polls. The man is irrepressible. His accusations against contractors and others are declared by those who have examined them to be groundless, yet he continues to repeat them whenever he has an opportunity, with the greatest audacity. The man has, no doubt, courage and he has perseverance. He is one of the men who have power to make mischief, but no ability to do good. The world will likely hear more of Ahlwardt.

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NOTICE.

THE REGATTA COMMITTEE

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At 8 o'clock.

LIST OF COMMITTEE:

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THE CITY.

Still Further Postponed.
The case of Hop Wah v. Wong Yet was to have come up for trial yesterday, but was still further postponed on account of the absence of Mr. Justice Drake.

To Be Heard This Morning.
The hearing of the case of Francis Bouchier, charged with obtaining a sum of \$50 by false pretences, will be heard in the Police court this morning before Magistrate Macrae.

Prayed for Watering Carts.
Those who were out driving on Sunday prayed for watering carts, for if the layers of dust were necessary it was then. How soon will the carts resume business at the old stand?

Provincial Land Surveyors.
At the recent regular and special examinations held by the Board of Examiners for Provincial land surveyors, the following gentlemen passed successful examinations: Arthur Doncaster Thursty, W. H. Holmes and Ruyter Sherman.

A Fence Required.
As a protection to the public, a fence of some kind is very badly needed around the gravel pits once the property of the corporation on Spring Ridge. The city engineer or chairman of the Street committee should give the matter attention.

A Lively Little Leech.
The COLONIST office museum received a new specimen yesterday in the form of a lively little leech disporting itself in a small bottle of water. The trophy is said by the donor, a resident of the James Bay district, to have come from his water tap.

Under Distinguished Patronage.
The annual bazaar of the St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, which will be given in aid of the Sunday school on the evening of Tuesday, May 10, promises to be a grand success. The patronage of the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Dewdney has been extended.

Military Exercises.
There was a large turnout of No. 4 Company last evening, for practice of the assault at arms, under the command of the leaders. To-night No. 2 Company will parade for the same purpose: and as, after the drill, there will be a meeting for the discussion of important company business, it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

The Steele Steal.
The Chinese Hoo Ah Ng and Ah Sam, who are believed to have been identified with the recent robbery of Peter Steele's saloon, or at all events to have received and disposed of the plunder, were discharged from custody yesterday. The chain of circumstantial evidence clearly inferred their guilt, but the police could not obtain sufficient direct evidence to justify a conviction.

Juvenile Incendiarism.
Mr. T. G. Rayner's cabin on Discovery street had a narrow escape from destruction by fire a few mornings ago—the result, it is believed, of an attempt at incendiarism on the part of a little boy. The young rascal entered an unoccupied cabin in the row and left a burning newspaper within. The blaze soon caught the woodwork, and it was only by hard work that the buildings were saved. An effort will be made to apprehend and punish the offender.

Petitions Pleading.
The opposition of certain residents of Vancouver to the erection of the new Government buildings in this city took a new form on Saturday last, when petitions praying the Governor-General to veto the Government Building Act, and also asking that the Legislature of the Province be made more representative of all parts of the Province were displayed at the street corners, for all to sign who passed. In the evening each of these tables bore a lamp in addition to the papers, pen and ink, and the stranger within the gates, as well as the citizen, was invited to subscribe to the expression of disapproval.

The Concert on Craigflower Road.
The following is the programme which will be rendered at the concert in the Temperance hall, Craigflower Road, this evening:

Chorus..... Choir.
Solo..... Mr. God.
Instrumental Solo..... Mrs. Johnston.
Solo..... Mrs. Johnston.
Chorus..... Choir.
Solo..... Mr. G. P. Thompson.
Instrumental Duo..... Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Johnston.
Chorus..... Choir.
Solo..... Mr. God.
Club Singing..... Mr. Hamilton.
Solo..... Mr. Hanson.
Coral Solo..... Mr. G. P. Thompson.
Glee..... Mr. Mitchell.
Choir..... Choir.
"God Save the Queen."

Proceeds in aid of the Methodist church at Victoria West. Mr. Walter Morris will occupy the chair.

To-Night's Concert at St. John's.

Those who are taking part in the operetta "Fairy Voices," to be given to-night at St. John's school room, had a complete and successful rehearsal yesterday afternoon, ensuring a thoroughly first class performance. The costuming is especially pretty, the music pleasing, and the selection generally an admirable one, which should attract a large audience. This is to be the second of a series of entertainments the ladies are giving, and it will no doubt meet with the same gratifying reception as did the last one. The programme is as follows: Part I.—Overture, selected; Fairy Voices (in two parts); duet, the Misses Powell; tableau, Sophia and Olivia visiting the Fortune Teller; duet, guitar and zither.

Part II.—Violin solo, Miss M. Grahame; tableau; song, Miss M. Twiss; tableau; Open Your Mouth and Shut Your Eyes; quintette (violins) by five young ladies; duet, Prof. Haynes; grand selection from "Il Trovatore" (Verdi); tableau, the Flower Queen.

Science to Be Enlisted.
Mr. J. VanBuren, of Vancouver, one of the gentlemen who not long ago paid a visit to Coona Island in search of the great treasure said to be buried there, was in Victoria yesterday, and goes over the Sound this evening. He has little to add to the story of the treasure hunting expedition given in the Vancouver correspondence of the COLONIST a few weeks ago, but is not yet satisfied that the treasure is a myth. On the contrary, his belief that the fortune awaits a finder is unshaken, and the only question is how to unearth it. Mr. VanBuren proposes to use hydraulic slugs, and says that no very big dig will be required, this prospect the entire island—it is only about four miles long by three wide. If arrangements for hydraulic can be completed Mr. VanBuren will return to the little spot in the Pacific to resume operations next year. The island, he says, is a little paradise. Though close to the equator the temperature is about 86° in the day-time, while the nights are cool and comfortable. There is a comfortable little

house for the occupation of anyone who comes that way, and the forests are as full of fruits and berries as the sea is of toothsome fish.

Transferred to County Court.

An order was granted yesterday in the case of Clay v. Vye to furnish particulars and have the case transferred to the County court.

A Four Days' Stand.

June 28, 29, 30 and July 1 are the dates arranged by Advance Agent J. McIntyre for the appearance of Sells Brothers' "Greatest show on earth," at the Victoria Driving Park.

Again Adjourned.

The case of Frank A. Nicholson, charged with refusing to pay wages, and adjourned from Saturday in the police court, was again remanded yesterday. It will be disposed of this morning.

Chambers Fixtures.

The following motions will be heard in Chambers to-day:
Fogarty v. Cairn—To examine defendant.
Cowan & Wilson v. Administratrix Jos. Heward—To sign judgment.

Sir George Baden-Powell Married.

The Canadian Gazette chronicles the marriage, on Saturday, April 8, in St. Luke's church, Cheltenham, of Sir George Baden-Powell, M.P., and Miss Frances Wilson, daughter of Mr. Charles Wilson, of Glendon House, Cheltenham.

I. O. F. Advance.

This evening, at the Odd Fellows' hall, Fernwood Road, a new court of the Independent Order of Foresters will be organized with thirty-six charter members. D. S. C. R. Bro. J. G. Grant and District officers will be in attendance to organize.

A "Brigade" no Longer.

Among the many changes recently made by the Militia Department is that of the designation of the Garrison Artillery of the Dominion. Instead of "brigades" and "batteries," this force is now made up of "battalions" and "companies," and the Victoria volunteers consequently form Nos. 2, 3 and 4 companies of the British Columbia Battalion of Garrison Artillery.

Elliott-Elder.

At Tacoma, on Saturday evening last, Mr. J. G. Elliott, of this city, was united to Miss Mary Elder of Canobie, Dumfriesshire, Scotland, whence she has just arrived to join the man of her choice. The ceremony was performed at St. Peter's Church, by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Lacey, and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott on Sunday came to Victoria by the North Pacific. The many friends of the groom throughout British Columbia will heartily welcome Mrs. Elliott to her new home.

Returned From the Orient.

One of the passengers of the Empress of China, from Yokohama, yesterday, was a gentleman well known in Victoria, Mr. Douglas Dick, who has returned to British Columbia after spending the winter in the Orient. Mr. Dick is looking well and from all accounts had a most enjoyable trip, marred only for a time by the inclement and unusual weather that much surprised "the oldest inhabitant" at Hongkong. He will remain in Victoria for a short time and will then probably go East.

A Serious Threat.

Victoria's delegates to the annual meeting of the Fire Underwriters of British Columbia returned from Westminster on Sunday evening. The most interesting business of the convention was that relating to the \$300 tax collected from each of the cities. The Vancouver agents rebel at its imposition, and announce that if it is collected they will refund unexpired premium money and cancel all policies, leaving the city of Vancouver unprotected by a single dollar's worth of insurance.

Another By-Law Quashed.

The Divisional court sat yesterday, being composed of the Chief Justice, Sir M. B. Begbie, Mr. Justice Crease and Mr. Justice Walkem. The case set for hearing was an appeal to quash Vancouver by-law No. 159, relating to the bonus of \$300,000 to the Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley Railway. Messrs. E. P. Davis and E. V. Bodwell appeared for the applicants, Mr. A. St. G. Hamersley for the respondent. Their Lordships quashed the by-law with costs. The result of the appeal does not affect the bonus which has now been secured by legislation, but it had an interesting bearing on the question of costs.

Confession in the Church.

The last of the series of sermons on the teachings of the Church of England, was preached by Rev. J. B. Hewetson, at Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday evening. The closing sermon treated of the subject of confession, and the preacher showed that while the Church of England did not enjoin public confession, those who had doubts upon the matter were advised to relieve their minds by public confession to a priest. He touched upon the practice of others than ordained priests offering dogmatic opinions upon theological subjects, and resented this as impertinence carried too far.

The Chicago Fire.

The near approach of the World's Fair awakens increased interest in Chicago and her wonderful history. To-day Chicago is probably the finest city in the world architecturally, and all practically built within twenty years. The most thrilling and wonderful chapter in the city's history is the one telling of the great fire and the subsequent rebuilding. It reads like a tale from fairy land. The new and magnificent city of the Chicago fire just opened in that city shows in a most surprising manner the city during the great fire, with its thousands of acres of red-hot ruins, and countless thousands of panic-stricken people fleeing for their lives, is the most grand, awe inspiring, and realistic scene ever produced by man. The whole effect is greatly intensified by the introduction of novel mechanical and electrical devices, making the whole situation seem like reality. This remarkable exhibition is located upon Michigan avenue near Madison street, and will remain a prominent attraction during the World's Fair. COLONIST readers should make a note of this great work and not fail to visit it.

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A Fraternal Visit.

A large delegation of members of Columbia lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., paid a fraternal visit to Aeneas lodge No. 14 last evening, at the K. of P. hall, Broad street, and spent a pleasant time.

The Civic Estimates.

The Board of Aldermen had a special meeting last night, and sat for two hours and a half in committee of the whole, in consideration of the estimates. The meeting, as customary, was with closed doors.

Daughters of St. George.

A meeting will be held to-morrow evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the formation of a lodge of Daughters of St. George. All members of the order of Sons of St. George are expected to be present, with their lady friends.

False Pretences Charged.

Edward Porter was arrested on a warrant last evening, charging him with obtaining \$30 from Mr. Frank, a storekeeper on Johnson street, under false pretences. It seems the former had a check made out in the form of a sealer's advance note, which Mr. Frank cashed.

Accidental Death.

The coroner's jury empanelled yesterday by Coroner Hasell to inquire into the circumstances surrounding the death of little Tommy McNeill, on Saturday last, after hearing the evidence, brought in a verdict of "accidental death," no blame being attachable to anyone. The funeral takes place to-day.

A Field Day.

The clown cricketers of H. M. S. Champion, besides enjoying some good sport themselves furnished amusement for a large number of spectators at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon. Their performance commenced with a cricket match, after which other amusements followed. In the evening a free entertainment was given in the Coliseum hotel, and although not largely attended was much enjoyed. The programme rendered, in which Professor Foster took a prominent part, included boxing exhibitions, musical selections, clog dancing, etc. During the evening Professor Thomas Haylock, of H. M. S. Champion, greatly interested those present with an exhibition of mesmerism, in which he appeared to considerable advantage.

The Calico Ball.

To celebrate May Day, and to provide a pleasant time for those who would attend, a committee of three ladies—Miss McLaughlin, Mrs. Lang and Mrs. Cox—planned a ball, which was held in the Philharmonic hall last evening, and proved in every way a success. It was intended that calico should be the prevailing article of dress, for the ladies at least, but unfortunately the ball was arranged so hurriedly that there was not time for the preparation of the calico costumes, and only a few of these were to be seen, though the gathering was quite large. Good music was furnished by the Brown-Richardson orchestra, the floor was in excellent order, and all present seemed thoroughly to enjoy the dance. A tempting supper was provided. The decorations used at the recent entertainment of the Foresters had been kindly left in the hall for the occasion, and they were very generally admired.

Bazaar and Concert.

The bazaar and concert to be given by the Ladies' Association in the new Sabbath school room of the Temple Emanuel this afternoon and evening are expected to be largely patronized. The ladies have a fine variety of handsome fancy work, paintings, etc., ready for sale, upon which they have been busy for the past three or four months, in order to have a choice collection. An excellent programme has been prepared for the concert, to be given in the evening, among those who will take part being Mrs. Lowe, musical selection; Mr. Allen, recitation; Mrs. O'Sullivan, piano selection; Mr. W. R. Higgins, vocal solos, and Miss Flossie Leiser, violin solo. To-day's performance will be continued at the same time and place until the evening of to-morrow, and it is probably may not conclude until the following day. The programme for to-morrow evening's concert will be much in part as follows: Miss Berta and Pauline Frank, duet; Mr. Joseph Philo, violin solo; Miss Louisa Philo, solo; Mr. Hall, recitation; Miss Pauline Frank, piano solo; and Mr. S. Philo, vocal solo. The proceeds, both days, will be in aid of the new Sabbath school building fund. On Sunday next the new school will be formally opened.

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The New Vancouver Coal, Mining & Land Co., Ltd., made the following foreign shipments for April, 1893:

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6-Steamer G. and H. M. San Francisco.....	1,612
7-Steamer Tacoma, Port Townsend.....	62
8-Bark Rufus E. Wood, San Francisco.....	2,34
9-Bark Marilla, Honolulu, H. I.....	1,391
10-Ship India, San Francisco.....	2,063
11-Steamer Tyne, Port Townsend.....	57
12-Steamer Holyoke, Port Townsend.....	55
13-Hydrographic Republic Portland.....	111
14-Steamer Mogul, Port Townsend.....	45
15-Ship Tacoma, San Francisco.....	2,700
16-Ship Tyne, Port Townsend.....	51
17-Bark Marilla, Honolulu, H. I.....	1,391
18-Steamer B. and W. San Diego.....	3,007
19-Steamer Tacoma, Port Townsend.....	45
20-Steamer Pioneer, Port Townsend.....	26
21-Steamer Holyoke, Port Townsend.....	34
22-Ship Grandholm, San Francisco.....	1,633
23-Steamer Sea King, San Pedro.....	2,417
24-Ship Wilhelmina, San Francisco.....	2,424
25-Steamer Tacoma, Port Townsend.....	50
26-Steamer Tyne, Port Townsend.....	58
27-Steamer Holyoke, Port Townsend.....	67
28-Ship Tacoma, San Francisco.....	64
29-Ship Dumbo, Portland.....	24
30-Steamer Holyoke, Port Townsend.....	3,413
31-Steamer Pioneer, Port Townsend.....	35
Total.....	39,096

I. O. O. F. Anniversary Sermon.

The members of the various I. O. O. F. lodges in the city turned out in force on Sunday morning and marched from their hall, Douglas street, to Calvary Baptist church, where an eloquent address on Old Fellowship was delivered by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Coombs. The centre of the church was set apart for the members of the mystic links, and they completely filled the space so reserved. The reverend gentleman said that birthdays were occasions for congratulations and not for criticism; he therefore proceeded to tell of all the good that had been done by Odd Fellowship on the American continent during the seventy-four years of its existence; how the sick had been visited and relieved, the dead buried, the widows' tears dried, the orphans educated and provided for, and all done quietly, without ostentation, and so as not to make the recipients feel that they were objects of charity. The speaker's remarks were enlivened by anecdote and personal reminiscence, and were attentively listened to throughout. After the benediction the procession reformed and returned to the hall, where a unanimous vote of thanks was passed to Bro. Coombs for his excellent anniversary address. Past Grand L. Cousins, of Dominion lodge, No. 4, acted as marshal of the procession.

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The Marquis of Lorne on British Columbia—"Nowhere a Richer Sea or More Romantic Coast."

The Marquis of Lorne publishes in the current issue of the Graphic a record of experiences of "Hunting Life in the Rockies" on the Canadian Pacific railway, which is excellently illustrated by Mr. C. E. Fripp, R. W. S. It speaks of things as they were a decade and more ago, when the site of the city of Vancouver was covered by gigantic firs. But the Pacific Province is still a sportsman's paradise.

"What wondrous fly-fishing it was!" exclaims the Marquis. "He took them to a lake which shall be nameless—or which we shall, at all events, only call by an approximation to the sound of the Indian title, something like Lake Guessimifurkan—and there in two days they caught about 400 fish weighing 900 pounds. For fear Mr. Andrew Lang and everybody else who loves fly fishing should at once rush there, only an approach to the name is given, and the access to the spot is not here indicated except by the assertion that it is in British Columbia—a wondrous word is that double-barrelled name—a name covering a country incomparable in beauty and variety of scenery. Nowhere is there a richer sea, nowhere is there a more romantic coast. Fishermen of the British Isles could be settled along those shores in a climate soft as that of Devonshire and find a market for their fresh fish in the Canadian and American coast cities, and for their salt fish among the Roman Catholic populations of Chili, Peru and kindred southern states. Some day or other small fruit trees will be as common along the shores as are now the innumerable firs. A Fraser box of apricots will be as popular in London markets as canned salmon from that river. Meantime, it is a mercy to the sportsman and traveller that all the 'congested districts' of Europe are kept by professional agitators from haunting the paradise, and the enterprising globe trotter may luxuriate in fishing and hunting better than can be enjoyed by any European in the Old World."—Canadian Gazette.

Robert M. Storey, of Nanaimo, and William B. Stillman, of New Westminster, are at the Victoria.



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Mock Turtle. Ox Tail. Chicken Gumbo.
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Ham. Corned Beef. Mutton.
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ENPREES.
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Devilled Turkey and Game.
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Turkey. Cranberry Sauce.
Lamb. Apple Sauce.

LEGUMES.
Tomatoes. Corn. String Beans.
Green Peas. Asparagus.
Artichokes.
Succotash. Mushrooms. Petit Pois.
Maccedoine. Potato's a Vets.
DESSERT.
Pineapple. Pie, all kinds. Blane Mango.
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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The Steamers of the New Australian Line—British Columbia Lumber Finds Many Markets.

H.M.S. "Champion," Not the "Romulus," Goes to Tacoma—Gossip of the Dock.

The Canadian Gazette, in announcing the arrangement entered into between the Dominion Government and Messrs. Huddart, Parker & Co., of Sydney, N. S. W., for a monthly steamer service between Canada and Australia via Hawaii, has the following in reference to the two steamers which are to be the pioneers of the new fleet:

"The steamers with which it is proposed to inaugurate the service are the Warrimoo and Miowera, which were built last year, and are regarded as steamers of the highest class, specially suitable for the trans-Pacific trade. The plans of the steamers were submitted to the Admiralty during construction, and the Director of Naval Construction, Mr. W. H. White, C.B., inspected one or both of them while on the stocks. It will be remembered that the present Imperial mail service to China and Japan in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway was inaugurated in just such a way as this by a temporary service of merchant steamers. That temporary service proved entirely successful, and led in due course to the establishment of the present mail line. It is quite in accordance, therefore, with precedent that the Canadian Government should feel itself justified in extending assistance to this initial Australian service, and it is evident that whenever arrangements have to be made they will be carried out with less risk because of the present step. Should the arrangements now on foot result satisfactorily, as it is hoped they will, Messrs. Huddart, Parker & Co. will dispatch their first steamer to Canada early in May."

HISTORY OF THE NORTHWEST.

E. W. Wright, of Portland, who is engaged with Lewis & Dryden in compiling a marine history of the Northwest, paid a visit to this city recently in quest of data for the interesting work on which he is engaged. The marine industry has been sadly neglected by historians who have essayed to chronicle the growth and development of the Sound country, and the work in question will receive the hearty encouragement of all who appreciate the importance of the subject. The book will contain splendid engravings of all the old-time boats and the men who operated it, as well as the men and boats of a later era. The men in charge of the work are fully competent to make it a valued addition to historical literature of the Pacific Northwest, and they will spare neither time nor expense in so doing.

LUMBER FOR FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

That the market for British Columbia lumber is growing year by year is evidenced by the ready sale it commands all over the world. This month will see the first shipment forwarded to France. The bark Gryfe, which arrived from England with a cargo of coal, will have the honor of being the first vessel to load at British Columbia for that country, having been already chartered to carry a cargo from the Hastings saw mill to Marseilles. She will leave for Hastings this week. There are at present four vessels loading at the Hastings mills, and one of these, the Heinrich, is taking a cargo for Hamburg, Germany, being the second ship ever known to convey lumber from British Columbia to that country. The other vessels at Hastings are the Blairhoile, for Sydney, N.S.W.; Sigurd, for Port Pirie, and the Mary Low, for Peru. S. A. The B.C. Stevedores Co. have the contract for loading the first cargo, and yesterday, through their representative, Alex. McDermid, they were given the contract for the discharging of the schooner Americana, now in port.

A ROUGH PASSAGE.

The four-masted Hawaiian schooner Americana, which arrived in the Royal Roads last Saturday evening, had a very rough voyage out from England. She met with many accidents, but none very serious. Her bowsprit gave way on November 23, but being temporarily repaired, lasted the remainder of the voyage. Several blocks, sails, deadeyes, lanyards, etc., were lost during the trip, which was made the more dreary by the many delays occasioned by calms. With light winds and heavy seas the Americana was thirty-two days coming around the Horn, and when a little to the southwest of Cape Flattery she was delayed for several days by a calm. The schooner is a new vessel of 839 tons register, being equipped with iron lower masts. She brings 1,500 tons of general freight, 900 tons being for Victoria, which she commenced unloading yesterday. As soon as the Victoria cargo is discharged she will proceed to Vancouver, and there land the remainder of her cargo.

NOT OBLIGED TO VACATE.

Word has been received from the Lords in Admiralty, through the Canadian Government, that the order requesting the Romulus to vacate the dry dock will be cancelled, the Government taking into consideration the fact of her distress and that to move her would involve a heavy loss of both time and money. H.M.S. Champion, which is to receive a scraping and general overhauling in preparation for her season's cruise in Behring Sea, will, it is understood, be docked at Tacoma for this purpose.

CHINESE AND JAPANESE.

Steamship Danube sailed for Portland on Sunday with 612 Chinamen and 20 Japanese, who arrived from the Orient on the last trip of the Empress of Japan, and who were released from quarantine on the day of their departure from this port. The Celestials who are all bound for Portland, chose the route they took in preference to going via Port Townsend, and thereby saved the trouble of entering at the latter port.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Rainbow left for Barclay Sound and West Coast points last evening, carrying Mr. Dorevex and party of seven who are to Kyngoot to survey some land for Indian reserves; Capt. Warren, seven or eight settlers for San Juan and others. She also carried a good cargo.

The Chilean ship Atacama, 1,235 tons, Capt. Caballero, will leave Vancouver early this week with a full cargo of lumber for Valparaiso. The cargo, which is valued at \$7,800, consists of 23,760 laths and 963,419 feet of rough lumber.

Each of the Chinese actors coming by the Victoria is being subjected to a searching examination before receiving permission to land on American soil.

The collier San Mateo, from San Francisco, passed up to the Union mines on Sunday.

The steamship City of Puebla, from Victoria, and the bark Palmyra, from Port

Gamble, and Germania, from Seattle, arrived at San Francisco yesterday, and the steamer Wellington cleared therefrom for Nanaimo.

The celebrated steamer Bawnmore is due from San Francisco to-day, on her way up to Nanaimo for coal.

J. A. Thomas, steamboat inspector, made his annual examination of the Daisy's machinery yesterday.

The C.P.N. steamer Princess Louise sails on her regular northern trip this evening. Bark Kincora commenced discharging at the outer wharf yesterday.

Tag Falcon yesterday supplied the bark Gryfe with ballast.

ENTERED.	
Str. Islander.....	from Vancouver.
" North Pacific.....	Port Townsend.
" Yosemite.....	N. Westminister.
Schr. Americana.....	Nanaimo.
" Liverpool.....	Liverpool.
CLEARED.	
Str. Islander.....	for Vancouver.
" North Pacific.....	Port Townsend.
" Yosemite.....	N. Westminister.
" Rainbow.....	Barclay Sound.
" Danube.....	Portland.
Ship Gryfe.....	Vancouver.

FIGURES FOR APRIL.

Reports of Custom House and Inland Revenue Collections—Crime and Criminals.

The Fire Record—Births, Marriages and Deaths—Building Permits and Water Services.

Yesterday was the first of the merry month of May, and in all the public offices the clerks were busy completing the records for the month just ended. The result of their labors is summarized in the appended statistics, showing, in a measure, what has transpired during the past thirty days. As usual, the first on list of returns is that from the

CUSTOMS HOUSE.

Duties Collected.....	\$ 63,511 91
Chinese Revenue.....	8,379 00
Other Revenue.....	1,831 43
Total.....	\$73,722 34

IMPORTS.	
Dutiable (value of).....	\$215,120 00
Free (value of).....	125,000 00
Total.....	\$340,120 00

EXPORTS.	
Produce of Canada.....	\$7,378 00
Not Produce of Canada.....	6,136 00
Total.....	\$13,514 00

CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

The entries on the city lock-up and city Police court registers show an entire absence of serious crime, the majority of arrests being in cases of misdemeanor. The charges entered against the names of those summoned or arrested during April are as below: Drunk 26, violation of city by-laws 32, using threatening language 4, assault 4, refusing to pay wages 1, frequenting a house of ill-fame 1, cruelty to animals 2, Indians in possession of intoxicants 4, aggravated assault 1, perjury 1, absence from Royal Navy 1, obtaining money under false pretences 1, necessary witnesses 2, larceny 7, burglary 1, for lodgings 3, of unsound mind 1, in possession of stolen property 1, and supplying liquor to Indians 2. The Provincial jail statistics are in abstract as follows:

Daily average number of prisoners.....	513
Received during the month.....	35
Discharged during the month.....	21
Highest number in any one day.....	61
Remained in custody.....	61

FIRES DURING APRIL.

Wednesday, April 5, 12:40 a.m.—Fire at residence owned and occupied by W. H. Walsh, on Catherine street, Victoria West. Cause unknown. Loss, \$1,500.

Thursday, April 6, 10:35 a.m.—Alarm, smoke issuing from New England bakery, Government street. No loss.

Friday, April 7, 5 a.m.—Fire at Richards' hair factory, Kelvin road. Loss, \$1,200. Outside city limits.

Saturday, April 15, 8:35 a.m.—Fire on roof of A. B. Gray's warehouse, Wharf street. Cause, sparks setting fire to shingles. No loss.

Sunday, April 15, 12:25 p.m.—Fire on roof of residences occupied by W. Furnival, Yates street. Cause, sparks falling on shingles. Loss, \$10.

Thursday, April 27, 11:58 a.m.—Fire on roof, No. 8 Broughton street. Cause, sparks. Loss, \$10.

Friday, April 28, 12 midnight.—Alarm, smoke issuing from Adelphi saloon, Yates street. No loss.

Sunday, April 30, 6:30 p.m.—Still alarm. Smoke issuing from Davis building, 39 Yates street. No loss.

INLAND REVENUE.

The collections for April of inland revenue division No. 37, this city, are:

Spirits.....	\$1,428 00
Malt.....	5,661 00
Tobacco.....	6,38 38
Chops.....	787 95
Bonded warehouse license.....	10 00
Inspection Petroleum.....	323 00
Total.....	\$13,778 61

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births.....	32
Deaths.....	19

SHIPPING.	
Entered—Deep Sea.....	61
Coastwise.....	117
Total.....	178

CLEARED—DEEP SEA.	
Coastwise.....	68
Total.....	122

WATER AND BUILDING.	
Permits issued.....	190

During the month thirteen new water services were granted in the city and seven building permits issued by the City Engineer.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for May.

The idyllic and historic Bronx Valley, sympathetically described by one of its residents, Dr. Peter MacQueen, and illustrated with a score of charming views, occupies with frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for May. Another timely paper, bearing as it does upon the question of a National Quarantine for the United States, is the graphic sketch of "Caribbean Quarantine" experience, by Henry Arthur Herbert, of Muckross. An exciting narrative of the ascent of Mount Etna is accompanied by numerous views of the great Sicilian volcano and its recent eruption.

Trout.

Fishing opens on the 15th. Get your tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. A fine variety to select from.

Baseball goods, photographs, mounted and unmounted, Gilt Mounts, 60c, pocket maps of the city, etc., lacrosse sticks, the latest novels, the sole agents of the Calligraph, the latest and most improved kinds of shipping receipt book. All the above at T. N. Hibben & Co's.

Cutlery, Razors, knives, scissors, table cutlery and shaving materials at Fox's, 78 Government St.

TENDERS.

SALE BY TENDER.

Sealed Tenders are requested by the undersigned for the undermentioned property, on or before the 15th day of May, at 12 noon.

1. A/RK's more or less, Viewfield Farm, on the old Esquimalt Road.

2. OPS 42, 66 and 57, Cloverdale, containing one acre each, either separately or together; this is very fine land and very desirable for residence purposes.

3. LSO Section 12, 2 East, and Section 12, 3 East, containing 250 acres; about 100 acres of the above are prairie, and the remainder is fine bottom land, well timbered. The new Saanich Railway will cross the land, and the Company have agreed to erect a station on the same.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars and as to terms, apply to HEISTERMAN & CO., 75 Government Street, ap30

DISTRICT OF BURNABY.

\$25,000 of Debenture Bonds for Sale.

TENDERS are invited for Debenture Bonds for \$25,000 to be issued by the Corporation of the District of Burnaby on 1st June next, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum and payable 50 years after date.

This loan forms the first and only charge against the District, which according to the Assessment Roll now made up is valued at \$1,500,000. This valuation does not include about 1800 acres of first class land which is still held by the Government.

The District lies between the Cities of New Westminster and Vancouver, and is regarded as a considerable area in practically suburban. It is traversed by the (Canadian Pacific Railway, and the Inter-urban Electric Tramway; and the Northern Pacific Railway Company is about to construct a line through it.

The object of the loan is to enable the Council to build new roads through the district, and these will greatly enhance the value of the property.

Further particulars may be had on application to Messrs. Pitt, Kerr & Co., 16 Lorne Street, New Westminster, and as regards tenders must be lodged with the Chairman of the Finance Committee, care of Councillor William Johnston, Box 205, New Westminster, on or before the 1st day of May, 1893.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any offer. 16 Lorne Street, New Westminster, 30th March, 1893. al-1-1m

SEALED TENDERS

Addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for three Shelter Houses" will be received until noon of Friday the 12th of May next, for the building of three (3) Shelter Houses at the Quarantine Station, William's Head, in accordance with the drawings and specifications to be seen at this office on and after the 1st day of May.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenders.

An accepted bank cheque made payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, F. C. GAMBLE, Resident Engineer.

Resident Engineer's Office, Room 20 Five Sisters' Block, Victoria, B.C., 28th April, 1893. ap29-5t

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Foundations," will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to one o'clock p.m. of Saturday, 27th May, for the excavating, granite, etc. and brick work required in the erection of the foundations and basement for the administrative block of the new Parliament Buildings at Victoria, together with other works incidental thereto.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned on and after Wednesday, 3rd of May. Tenders must be made upon the printed form which will be supplied for that purpose.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank check for a sum equal to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let the check will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The check will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 19th April, 1893. ap 23

\$50 FOR A CHICKEN.

To create an interest in the breeding of high class poultry, I will award a special prize of \$50.00 cash to the person raising the heaviest Plymouth Rock chicken hatched from eggs purchased of me.

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NOTICE.

VICTORIA, SAANICH & NEW WESTMINSTER RAILWAY COMPANY.

Applications for subscriptions of stock in the Capital Stock of the above mentioned Railway Company will be received by the undersigned at their office, 22 Bastion street, Victoria, any time before 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the second day of May, 1893. YATES, JAY & RUSSELL, Solicitors. ap26-6t

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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1893.

[On Vancouver Island.] Victoria.....Monday.....15th May. Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....15th June.

[On Mainland.] Vancouver.....Monday.....1st May. N. Westminister.....Wednesday.....7th June. Kamloops.....Monday.....5th October. Clinton.....Monday.....12th June.

[On Vancouver Island.] Victoria.....Monday.....27th November. Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....5th December. ap5

MUNICIPAL

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of Dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1893 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the Pound By-law and the Revenue By-law, 1890, will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect the above tax. CHAS. KENT, Collector. Victoria, B.C., City Collector's Office, City Hall, April 20th, 1893. ap23

MATERNITY HOME (late Samaritan), 11

Rue street. Applications to be made at the Home or to Mrs. D. W. Higgins, Cashier Bay road. ap17

NOTICE.

All debts due for scavenging, etc., to John Dorey are to be paid to E. K. Welch, my collector or to myself. MRS. DOHERTY, Victoria, 28th April, 1893. ap29-6t

NOTICE.

From and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts which my son John Dorey may incur. MRS. DOHERTY, Victoria, 28th April, 1893. ap29-6t

NOTICE.

From and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts which my wife Martha Akerman may incur. JOSEPH AKERMAN, Burgoyne Bay, 22nd April, 1893. ap28-1tw

NOTICE.

Whereas the house of the undersigned at Highland Lake has been broken into and various articles stolen and the boats and rafts made use of and the charts and maps broken open and the fences have been wilfully damaged. This is to warn all persons not to trespass within any enclosures, the property of the undersigned at or near Highland or Five Lakes or Pot Hole, including the lands lately in the possession of Mr. H. Behnson. Persons found contravening this notice will be prosecuted. ap27-5t HENRY DUMBLE-GN.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, by William McTeith, Official Administrator, for a transfer of the license granted to R. H. Ward, (now deceased), for the sale of wines and liquors by retail at the Albion Hotel, Herald street, Victoria city, to Isaac Aves of the said city, the undersigned Charles Thomas Russell, to whom permission to use such license was until the date hereof temporarily granted, consenting to such application. Dated this 25th day of April, A.D., 1893. W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator. CHAS. T. RUSSELL. ap25

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal over 600 acres of land on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands District, described as follows:—The part of section 26, township 10, east of Yakoun lake and north of its outlet, and the south half and north-east quarter of section 35, township 10. J. H. TURNER, Victoria, B.C., 19th April, 1893. ap1-1m

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NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal over 180 acres of land on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands District, described as follows:—The north half of section 35, township 10, and the east half of section 31, township 10. R. S. BYRN, Victoria, B.C., 12th April, 1893. ap1-1m

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The Colonist.
TUESDAY MAY 2 1893.
ASTRONOMICAL.
VICTORIA, May 2, 1893.
Sun rises --- 4.46 a.m. | Sun sets 7.08 p.m.
Moon rises 9.26 p.m.
Day of the year, 124th.
N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 52s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 30, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	42°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	37°		
9 a. m.,	50°	Highest	5 a.m.—Calm.
p. m.,	57°	57°	1 p.m.—20 S.
5 p. m.,	51°	Lowest	9 p.m.—8 S.
9 p. m.,	46°	36°	
			Rain—00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 1, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	45°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	45°		
9 a. m.,	47°	Highest	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	53°	56°	1 p.m.—4 N. E.
5 p. m.,	54°	Lowest	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m.,	47°	44°	
			Rain—0.04

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

H. HAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.
Per steamer YOSEMITE from Westminister—Mrs G. A. Maclelland, J. A. Campbell, J. Hyland, — Morris, W. Wells, J. N. Miller, W. L. Johnston, J. H. Brown, Capt. Robertson, Capt. Peel, Capt. Robertson, Capt. Fullerton, H. Harlock, D. B. Hall, H. Watson, J. C. Calhoun, F. Robson, W. Arden, A. Bennett, J. Fagan, J. Slater, — Robins, — Harris.

CONSIGNEES.
Per steamer YOSEMITE from Westminister—Brit. Col. Cattle Co., G. E. Iverson, J. B. Rich, J. H. Brown, J. Tollic, J. Prentice, Lenz & Leiser, H. Bornstein, Bank of B. N. A. H. Bay Co. Peter Brown, Albion Iron Works, B. & K. M. Co., J. Fanning, Agent Iron Exp. Co. R. P. Brown.

PERSONAL.
Thos. Bickle, of Wellington, is in town.
R. H. Parry, of San Francisco, is at the Oriental.
Gus H. Marshall, of Ontario, is at the Victoria.
J. Hyland returned from the Mainland last night.
J. A. Virtue and wife, returned from Vancouver Sunday evening.
Campbell Sweeney, of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver, is in the city.
H. E. Harlock, Ladner's Landing, registered at the Diarrid last evening.
Alfred Bennett, Bowmanville, Ont., and John W. Campbell, Guelph, Ont., are at the Oriental.
J. M. Rattenbury, architect for the new Government buildings, returned from the Mainland Sunday morning.
W. Wheelon, Portland; T. J. Hamilton, Seattle; and R. E. Palmer, Vancouver, are registered at the Victoria.
J. C. Calhoun, Ladner's, and Captain Peel and W. L. Johnson, New Westminster, registered last night at the Oriental.
J. A. Fullerton, J. Selator and J. Fagan, the Vancouver contingent to meet the Empress, arrived over by the Yosemite last night.
A. H. Scaife, H. H. Graham, J. C. Macleure, J. J. Austin and B. Boggs, returned on Sunday from the annual meeting of insurance men held this year at New Westminster.
Captain Woodward of the little steamer Delta, was taken to the Jubilee hospital yesterday, suffering from a paralytic stroke.
Judge James G. Swan, of Port Townsend, will represent the Chamber of Commerce of that city at the B. C. Board of Trade banquet on Thursday evening.
Miss Edith Newbury will leave shortly for England on a visit. She will accompany ex-Ald. John Hall and Mrs. Hall to Liverpool, visiting the World's Fair at Chicago en route, and leaving New York on the Aurania about the end of May.

No Singer.
Mr. Poghlight—Truly, Miss Philtheeth, since I have moved next door to your home I have greatly enjoyed hearing your daily singing.
Miss Philtheeth (confused)—Pardon me, Mr. Poghlight, but I rarely sing. Er—pa is a dentist, you know, and his office is right off our parlor.—Chicago Record.

Some Difference.
Mrs. Mann—It is strange that you cannot hold the baby for a few minutes, when you used to be able to hold me on your lap for hours at a time.
Mr. Mann—The young one is restless. He squirms and kicks all the time. You didn't kick the least little bit.—Indianapolis Journal.

A Good Reason.
"I didn't know Mrs. Denton's husband was dead. I thought he only ran away from her."
"He did only desert her."
"Then why has she gone into mourning?"
"Because he came back."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

He Was All Right.
"I suppose," said the householder to the plumber, "that with the departure of winter your profits cease?"
"Not at all," said the plumber. "I am the owner of a patent tonic to cure spring fever."—Harper's Bazar.

Made Him Tired.
"My employer makes me awfully tired."
"What's the matter?"
"Why, I have to work for him."—Chicago Record.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.
Burston, the English Champion, Visits British Columbia—The Great Relay Race.
Seeley's Cup Defender Lunched and Christened—Canoe Races for Saturday.

Mr. G. W. Burston, the well-known English bicyclist who for five years held the world's record for 100 miles, was one of the passengers here yesterday by the Empress of China, and will remain in Victoria a few days awaiting the arrival of the steamer on which he is going to Alaska. This is not a "wheeling tour," but simply a pleasure trip before some hard riding is begun during the coming season.
"In fact," said Mr. Burston, laughing, "I haven't even got a wheel along with me, so you see I'm not in shape."
After returning from Alaska, Mr. Burston goes to Chicago, thence home to England. His season's bicycle tour is already laid out. It will begin in England and after running over nearly the whole of Great Britain, he will go to Spain and Portugal, there to revel in the glorious climate and scenery of which Byron has written. Mr. Burston is tall and athletic looking, but does not claim to be in training now. He rides at from 14 to 12 1/2.
"When I started off on my Norway trip a few years ago," he said, "I was about 14 stone, but after some light work I got down to between 12 and 13, at which weight I got along first-rate."

BOSTON TO CHICAGO.
BOSTON, May 1.—Wheelmen are manifesting interest in the great relay ride from this city to Chicago, to be run under the auspices of the Boston Post, New York Recorder and Chicago Herald. The riders of the first division leave here to-morrow at 5 p.m., while those of the fifth division will bear a dispatch to be placed in the hands of Gov. Altgeld and are timed to arrive in Chicago at 10:15 next Thursday morning. All the riders will be men with records, and those in the last division include Ed. Spooner, the great long distance cyclist, and N. H. Van Sicken, who organized and bore the expense of last year's Chicago-New York relay ride.

MEET THIS EVENING.
A special meeting of the Wanderers' Cycling club is called for 8 o'clock this evening at headquarters, 45 Government street, to receive the report of the delegate to the meeting at Vancouver Saturday evening.

YACHTING.
LAUNCH OF THE VICTORIA.
The new craft which Mr. J. H. Seeley has had under construction for some time, as a yachting cup defender, was launched yesterday afternoon, the event attracting considerable attention owing to a difficulty which unexpectedly developed. The yacht was built under Mr. Seeley's direction in a shop on the east side of James Bay bridge, but the launch, it was intended, should take place on the other side, adjoining Capt. Dan McIntosh's boat house. A plank had been set up as an extemporised "ways," on the sidewalk line adjoining the bridge, the railing of which had been removed. The yacht, borne by six men, was deposited at the head of the ways about five o'clock, and was just about to be launched when Capt. McIntosh appeared on the scene, threw down the plank, and in forcible terms denied the right of any one to launch a boat over what he claimed as his property. Mr. Seeley expostulated that the "ways" were set on corporation property, being within the lines of Government street, but the Captain was inexorable. The proceedings came to a standstill for half an hour or more, and as the craft lay on the side of the street the peculiar lines excited not a little attention. It is known as a "Hershaw," and yachts of this model have achieved considerable distinction in England. It cannot be called graceful, but the sailing qualities remain to be demonstrated. Officer Driscoll, of the city police, happening by, was appealed to, and gave it as his opinion that Mr. Seeley had the law on his side. He counselled arbitration and conciliation, and passed on. Officer Abel arrived soon after, and also thought that Mr. Seeley should have the right of way, but while he would not give an authoritative opinion, he said he would stay round in the interests of the public peace and see fair play. Another constable appeared on the scene, and also stopped to see the launch. Under these favoring auspices Mr. Seeley decided to proceed; the ways were hastily replaced, and soon the craft slid into the water, and the crowd dispersed.
The new boat is to be christened the Victoria and differs very materially from the majority of vessels of her size, in Pacific waters at all events. Her dimensions are: 27 feet over all, 18 feet water line, 5 1/2 feet beam and 2 1/2 feet hold. She has keel, stern post and stem all in one piece, describing the segment of a circle, and is fitted with a fin keel of one half inch steel plate, to which is attached a lead hull stirrup shaped and of sufficient weight to ballast the vessel without any inside weighting. The chief advantage found in the model is in the great overhang, which materially reduces the resistance to the water. The rig of the new craft also possesses its peculiarities and advantages; the great overhang permits of the job being fastened to the stem itself, no jib-boom being required, which will give considerable advantage in going to windward. Under full sail the Victoria will carry mainsail, jib, gaff-top-sail and spinnaker, spreading 161 yards of canvas. The outfitting will be proceeded with at once, and it is expected that the new beauty will take her trial cruise about next Saturday.

SEATTLE'S REPRESENTATIVES.
Commodore Fred. E. Sander and Mr. George H. Heilbron have been named by the Seattle Yacht Club as their representatives at the convention to be held here this month, Messrs. Carl Siebrand, A. R. Pinckney and G. A. Burch being the alternates. The Sound city will send a

fleet of ten fast sailers to participate in the regatta, while Tacoma, Port Townsend, Anacortes and the towns of Bellingham Bay will all be represented on the water.

LACROSSE.
Some of the lacrosse club members have now got down to hard practice for the coming championship match on the 23rd inst. with the Westminsters. The regular practices are held every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 6:30. Constant training is required to be in good condition and all should attend regularly.

THE OAK.
THE J.B.A.A.'S ACTIVE.
The boating committee of the J.B.A.A. held their first meeting of the season last night at the club house. Members desirous of rowing are requested to send in their names to the committee before Thursday next, 4th inst., when the crews for the various races on the 24th will be formed. A programme to be handed in for the consideration of the regatta committee, was also drafted, containing senior and junior four-oared races; one four-oared race, open to members of the J.B.A.A. only; senior and junior single sculls, and three canoe races.

THE CANADIAN REGATTA.
TORONTO, May 1.—At a meeting of the Executive of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen, on Saturday, it was decided to hold the annual regatta this year at Hamilton, just preceding that of the National Association. The executive reinstated John Grry, Jr., of Coldwater, who was under suspension.

THE GUN.
THE VICTORIAN MEET.
The regular monthly meeting of the above club will be held this evening in the rooms of the Victoria hotel. All members in arrears for dues are requested to pay up at once, in order that their names may be sent to the secretary of the Sportsmen's Association of the Northwest, as only members in good standing will be allowed to compete in the coming tournament.

THE CANOE.
RACES FOR NEXT SATURDAY.
On Saturday afternoon next at 2 o'clock there will be two races under the auspices of the V.C.C., a sailing race over a two and a half mile course for Capt. Foote's cup, and a ladies' and gentlemen's tandem paddling race of one quarter mile for a couple of silk pennants presented by Mr. J. H. McGregor. Entries should be sent in as early as possible to the secretary.

HERE AND THERE.
The Golden, B.C., annual race meeting will be held this year on June 5 and 6.
THE ARTILLERY'S GREAT SCHEME.
Official Approval of the Proposed Trip to Halifax—The Team Will Be Welcome.

A special dispatch from Ottawa received last night gives encouragement to those members of the British Columbia Battalion of Garrison Artillery who have been discussing the possibility of their corps being represented at the Garrison Artillery tournament to take place at Halifax in August. The project at first sight would appear to be so large as to be out of the question, but the fact that a rifle team from this Province will be in Ottawa about the end of August, and that the riflemen will probably all be efficient artillerymen as well, makes the matter a comparatively simple one. Though the officers here favored the idea no practical step had been taken in the absence of information as to how the Dominion Artillery Association and the Militia Department would take to the proposition.

The issue making the suggestion having reached the capital, the Colonel's Ottawa correspondent inquired at the Militia Department, and he telegraphs, on the authority of Lieut. Col. Irwin, inspector of artillery, that the Department will give every encouragement to the proposal, and that the Government will defray the cost of transport from Ottawa to Halifax. To accommodate the British Columbia team, should one be sent, an arrangement will be made for them to fire in the last days of the Halifax meeting, which will be about ten days before the opening of the Dominion rifle matches. These commence on August 28.

The teams for the artillery gun practice, in which it is wished to participate, consist of two officers and seven non-commissioned officers and men. All the Garrison Artillery in Eastern Canada are represented at the Halifax meeting, and have the advantage of practice there with the most modern artillery in the Imperial station, and are warmly welcomed and assisted in every way possible by the Imperial troops.

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